

CNU 23: Meeting the Demand for Walkable Places will feature workshops (202 Sessions), breakout sessions, tours, and special events of interest to professional architects. Most sessions will be accredited for AIA Continuing Education credits. See below for a selection of sessions that might interest you:

**202 Art Room Session:  
The Civic Art of  
Neighborhood Design**

Wednesday, April 29  
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

In this exciting session, you'll get to take a site, roll up your sleeves, grab drawing supplies, and then learn step-by-step how to design a beautiful, functional, memorable neighborhood. We'll focus on a broad array of physical design techniques for both infill and greenfield locations. [AIA LU 3]

Speakers: Victor Dover, James Dougherty

**202 Session:  
Designing Net-Zero  
Neighborhoods**

Wednesday, April 29  
2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

This fast-paced workshop blends a concise technical briefing with a "pin-up and critique" project case-study. Seminar enrollees working on net-zero neighborhood projects are encouraged to bring them for critique.

Speakers: Doug Farr, Thomas Osdoba

**Breakout Session:  
How to Rebuild Architecture**

Thursday, April 29  
2:00 PM – 3:15 PM

Steven Bingler and Martin Pederson recently addressed the disconnected relationship of architects and the public in their op-ed article, "How to Rebuild Architecture" in the New York Times. They challenged architects to rediscover "the radical middle," where architects "meet, listen and truly collaborate with the public, speak a common language and still advance the art of architecture." This session continues the discussion, examining the challenges of a profession in flux.

Speakers: Steven Bingler, Adam Lamster

**Walking Tour:  
Main Street**

Friday, May 1  
8:00 AM – 9:30 AM

From Main Street Garden to the Adolphus Hotel, explore Downtown Dallas and its architecture with trained tour guides from the Dallas Center for Architecture. Visit architectural icons, including the Magnolia Building, the Statler Hilton, and the Wilson Building, see examples of Beaux Art, Art Deco, Post-Modernist, Renaissance Revival and Victorian designs. Learn about the institutions, the individuals, the visionaries, and how it all came together in this rapidly growing metropolis.

Speaker: Greg Brown

**Breakout Session:  
Road to Zero**

Saturday, May 2  
10:00 AM – 11:15 AM

Internationally renowned experts Edward Mazria and Peter Calthorpe will deliver provocative presentations about their trend-setting work in architecture and planning. The pair will address the most pressing issues of our time—urbanization, energy, and climate change—followed by a dialog on the Call to Zero, the progress made to date, and the road ahead to a carbon neutral and sustainable future.

Speakers: Peter Calthorpe, Edward Mazria

Other recommended sessions and events:

- **The Art of Subdivision** | Thursday, April 30, 2:00 PM – 3:15 PM
- **Tour: Texas Town Squares** | Friday, May 1, 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
- **Maintaining Authenticity & Identity** | Saturday, May 2, 11:45 – 1:00 PM